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Club News Society News
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Order of Amaranth Holds Second Little Grand Ball

The second Little Grand Ball was held by Lomita Court No. 61, Order of Amaranth, at Torrance Masonic temple, 2336 Cabrillo ave. recently. This is an annual affair, and looked forward to by members of the Amaranth. Approximately two hundred were present.

Six acts of vaudeville consisting of classic ballet, acrobatic and tap dancing, a ventriloquist, an accordionist, and two acts of pantomime were presented.

This talent was from the Long Beach Talent showcase, sponsored by Long Beach Recreation and Playground department which is the result of careful screening of excellent talent from auditions held for all Long Beach schools. A four-piece dance orchestra, and their vocalist provided the music for dancing.

The Grand Royal Matron, Honored Lady Viola Maull, and Grand Royal Patron, Sir Knight Arnold Brinkmeier, led the Grand March. Notables introduced were the Grand Royal Matron, Grand Royal Patron, Sir Knight Laurie Maull, husband of the Grand Royal Matron and a Past Royal Patron of Fidelis Court; Honored Lady Ina Brinkmeier, Royal Matron of San Joaquin Valley Court of Fresno, Calif.; Sir Knight Wilson O. Wade, Grand Associate Patron; Honored Lady Ruby Wade, Past Royal Matron of

Redondo Court; Sir Knight Milo Dellman, Deputy Supreme Royal Patron to Mexico and his charming wife.

As the Grand March halted eight abreast - Flag Bearer Sir Knight Bert Mahaffie, Past Royal Patron of Palos Verdes Court approached the room, accompanied by color guards, S. K's Clyde Satterfield, Jr. PRP, and S. K. Frank Fisher, both of Lomita Court.

Committee chairman was S.K. E.E. (Snuffy) Meyer, PRP of Lomita Court. His committee consisted of HL's Dorothy Davis, A.M.; Gladys Mothersell, Jr. PRM; Garnett Satterfield; Mattie Meyer, PRM; Edna Cox; Isabel Galera; Emma Evans, and Mabel Moore; also SK's A. D. Davis, A.P.; Clyde Satterfield, Jr. PRP; Frank Fisher and Tom Herd, members of Lomita Court.

Junior Woman's Club Meets

Marina District CJCW Junior Membership held their Presidents Round-table, recently, at the El Segundo Woman's club. Dinner was served by the El Segundo Junior Woman's club members.

President of Marina District Juniors, Mrs. B. D. Reece, presided. The theme for the year will be The Forward Look.

Torrance Junior Woman's club members attending were: Mmes. John Schwartz, president, D. E. Moore, third vice president, James K. Lees, Marina District Junior Dean of

chairman, George Blahnik, Marina District junior mental health chairman, C. L. Briner, Marina District Junior historian, K. M. Boulter, Torrance Junior Federation director, and Lee Cloworthy, Reporter for Torrance Juniors. Our coordinators from the Torrance Woman's club, Mrs. W. O. Clausing, and Mrs. A.F.R. Ewalt attended with us.

Marina District Juniors will be having a Place Setting and Dessert Showing at the Cadore suite at the Beverly Hilton hotel on November 14, from 1:30 to 8:00 p.m. Around The World In Holidays will be the theme.

Student Arrives

Lucienne Elshout, 17, of Brussels, Belgium, arrived recently to attend North High school, as a member of the American Field service exchange program.

As a senior at North High she will attend class and participate in the activities as the average student would.

When Lucienne returns to Brussels, she will finish one more year of high school and then attend a University. She is interested in language and business.

Lucy is living with Mr. and Mrs. Robert A. Cagle of 17326 Glenburn ave.

Farewell Tea for Nursing Graduates

Upsilon Nu Sigma, vocational nursing organization, will pay tribute to graduating nurses with a farewell tea on Tuesday afternoon, September 3.

According to Miss Sharon Luc, chairman for the occasion, the party, to be held in Ward E-14 at Harbor General hospital will also honor Mrs. Esther J. DeTemple, newly assigned director of Harbor's vocational nursing program.

PTA Plans Faculty Luncheon

A meeting of the Seaside PTA board was held at the home of Mrs. Merle Unger, 2nd vice president, recently with Mrs. Clyde Miller, president, presiding.

It was announced that there will be a faculty luncheon on September 9 at the school. Mrs. James Mason, hospitality chairman, and her committee, are completing plans on the menu, which will be prepared and served by members of the board.

Boy Scouts Camp at San Pedro

The Boy Scouts of Troop No. 315, which is sponsored by Torrance Moose lodge No. 785, pitched their tents at the Explorer Base on Cabrillo Beach, San Pedro for the weekend recently.

The boys hiked to the light-house and took advantage of the surf by swimming and row boating, resulting in several sunburns.

Eighteen scouts participated in the event with two visiting Webelos. Two Explorers from No. 315X, Bob Wolf and Fred Bunch, assisted scoutmaster Joe Scirica, assistant scoutmaster Ed Ludwig, and committeeman Homer Foster.

The troop has been meeting during the summer and studying hiking, camping, and wood lore.

St. Catherine Laboure Plans Ham Dinner

Mrs. John Bennett heads the committee of Eighth Grade Mothers of St. Catherine Laboure school who will sponsor the monthly ham dinner on September 7, at the Parish hall, 3846 Redondo Beach blvd.

Dinner will be served from 5 to 8 p.m. Assisting Mrs. Bennett are Mmes. W. R. Reeves, Norman Zentil, Lew Westwood, Newell Larsen, Vincent Tyrell and D. G. Ramstead.

'Festive Fashions' to Reveal Latest in Holiday Apparel

A veritable treasury of fashions will be shown when the Court St. Catherine No. 1378 of Catholic Daughters of America stage their annual fashion show at the Parish Hall, 1420 Cota ave., on Monday, September 23, at 8 p.m. Although clothes for every occasion will be shown, emphasis will be placed upon costumes for the holidays just ahead.

With the help of Sam Levy Department Store, 'Festive Fashions' will reveal the very latest in textures, lines and colors.

There are some exciting changes in the fashion world this year and every woman will find something that is particularly becoming to her at this showing.

Modeling the clothes in this wonderful collection will be Mmes. Richard Ban, Joseph Lucas, James Fornelli, and Misses Jofran Rubeo, Janice

Dabbs and Carol Armstrong. The affair is open to the public. Door prizes will be given, and refreshments will be served.

Chairmen serving on the committee to make this the biggest and best show ever are Mrs. Francis A. Gately and Mrs. Gerald A. Loew, assisted by Mrs. Leonard Young, tickets; Mrs. Thomas Babbitt, decorations; Mrs. Joseph Rubeo, refreshments and Mrs. Thomas Moore, Mrs. E. K. Connaughton, Mrs. Lyle Fenn, Mrs. Marcel Demoner, Mrs. Philip Haloran, Mrs. William Davies, Mrs. William Luciani, Mrs. Forest Meyers, Mrs. Richard Ban and Miss Virginia Shaner.



Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Norman Lee

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Norman Lee are honeymooning in Las Vegas, following their wedding which took place on August 31 at 10:30 a.m., in Holy Trinity church. The bride is the former Helen Katherine Trampus. The couple will reside in San Pedro where Mr. Lee is employed by Hoffman and Son.—Stanford Photo.

Helen Katherine Trampus Weds Thomas Norman Lee

On August 31, at 10:30 a.m. Helen Katherine Trampus, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph P. Trampus, 25934 Luce ave., Lomita, walked down the aisle of Holy Trinity Catholic church, on the arm of her father to become the bride of Thomas Norman Lee.

Mr. Lee is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Thompson C. Lee, 1053 E. Santa Cruz st., San Pedro.

The gown worn by the bride had a lace bodice with long sleeves, scalloped neckline and buttoned down the back with pearl buttons. The bouffant skirt was made of panels of lace and tulle and had a chanel-sweep train. A sweetheart hat with seed pearl trim held the fingertip illusion veil in place and she carried a bouquet of stephanotis.

Cynthia Jansson was the maid of honor and bridesmaids were Shalene Beacom, Zdenka Matich, Beverly Masterfield, Rosemary Petschlag, Delores Trampus, and Barbara Angelich. Altos and Norma Jean Sherer were junior bridesmaids, and Nicky Sue Angelich was the flower girl.

Ronnie Petschlag was best man and ushers were Bobbie Woodward, Amel Wurn, Joe Trampus, Herman Marino.

Ernie Bernam and Ernie Masterfield.

Jimmy Masterfield was the ring bearer.

A reception was held at the American Legion hall in Wilmington immediately after the ceremony.

After a honeymoon trip to Las Vegas, the young pair will establish their home at 880 4th st., San Pedro.

'Get Acquainted' Breakfast Planned

Seaside PTA has announced plans for a "get acquainted" breakfast which will be held on October 3 at the home of Mrs. Joe Walters, 22625 Lupine dr. Doughnuts and coffee will be served between the hours of 10:30 a.m. and 1:30 p.m. to all parents and faculty members who wish to attend.

Mrs. Merle Unger, 2nd vice president, will head the membership drive, which will be held the week of October 7 through 11.

Welcome Tea Planned by Perry PTA

Perry PTA will begin its fall program with a "Welcome Tea" to be held Thursday afternoon, September 5, from 2 to 4 p.m. at the Perry cafeteria.

The purpose of this tea is to introduce and welcome teachers and the parents of new kindergarten children to Perry school and the community. All parents and teachers of Perry are cordially invited to attend as guest of Perry PTA. For any information concerning the tea please contact Mrs. Edward Beck or Mrs. Kenneth Judd.

Serving on the Welcome Tea committees are Mmes. T. R. Jackson, Wendall Morgan, William Dickson, Ray Andicochea, William Boell, Frank Stein, Edward Beck, hospitality; Willard Waddell, co-hospitality; and table arrangements by Mrs. Kenneth Judd. Refreshments will be donated by various members of the Perry PTA board.

The boys hiked to the light-house and took advantage of the surf by swimming and row boating, resulting in several sunburns.

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San Francisco Honeymoon

Alice Esther Carpenter, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Carpenter, 2427 Pacific Coast Highway, Lomita, and Richard Pierce Berry are honeymooning in San Francisco. They were married in St. Peters Episcopal church in San Pedro, on August 30, at 8 p.m.—Press Photo.

'Fashion Fun' Carpenter Berry Recite Vows in St. Peters Church

By MAUDE MILLER

Fall Look Is Soft . . . and Varied

If variety is the spice of life, women's wardrobes this fall will be spicy indeed! The "uniform" look of the past few years is gone, and there's a variety of soft hues and softly draped lines that are more flattering than ever . . . and give us a chance to choose what's best for us. And that's the first step to true fashion.

First to consider are the casuals . . . first because they're perfect for back to school, back to work, or back to everyday living with a lift. There are wonderful dark-hued cottons, honey colored cords, skirts and shirts, and hip-hugging bulky cardigan sweaters to take you from hot to cool in the new clothes designed for the "Fifth Season." They're for comfort as well as style while Mr. Sun is having his last fling at making things hot for us.

Colorwise these perfect "transitional" prepare you for winter, with lots of subtle heather plaids, the kind that always make complexions look English-dewy. One Southern California manufacturer, "Patty Woodard," whips up tasty confections in skirts and shirts in soft hues of royal blue, heather green and chocolate. Corduroy by the same hand has achieved the softness of velvet, and shows up in beautifully tailored, easy to wear, easy to walk in skirts either straight or full . . . and they're paired with the still popular Ivy League shirts in matching dark honey tones.

Dyed to match light-weight flannel skirts and sweaters all have softening details this season without ever getting fussy. And for the budget-minded (as who isn't) a reminder that full-fashioned wool and blend sweaters are being just as carefully matched to skirts as "Queen Cashmere." Top these . . . or your slacks . . . with the smarter-than-ever "car coats" seen locally, made of rayon cavalry twill, lined with frankly fake leopard, mink or broadtail (and reversible) . . . and you've the start of a perfect school, business or around the town wardrobe.

Second for consideration are hats! This is the year for hats . . . high, not too wide, and very handsome. And they are fur, or they look like fur! Sitting back to show pretty faces and smooth hair-dos, there is nothing as soft about the face as a furry hat. Every variety of fur is used, and like a good fur coat, these hats beautifully "top" any outfit. Spotted at all the current fashion showings are fabulously feminine beige lynx hats complementing one of the newly soft red suits (red, literally the season's "hottest" color), or black fox with a royal blue "go to meeting" or restaurant dress, or any white fur or fur felt with the simple black dress that takes you everywhere. Frankly, all the new accessories, including real or fake purses and unusually designed shoes, are adding more spice and fun to fashion than ever!

Fashion Forecasts

Word is trickling out of Paris . . . hemlines are up! Some designers have hiked skirts all the way to the knee. Others, like

St. Peters Episcopal church in San Pedro was decorated with baskets of white stock and gladiolas when Alice Esther Carpenter, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Carpenter, 2427 Pacific Coast Hwy., became the bride of Richard Pierce Berry, on August 30 at 8 p.m.

Father Hugh Percy officiated at the double-ring service.

For her marriage, the bride chose a traditional type gown of Chantilly lace, with molded bodice, high neckline and long pointed sleeves, the chapel length skirt was enhanced by panels of lace floating over a bouffance of gathered net. She carried a cascade of white carnations and stephanotis and a head piece of lace studded with pearls held the fingertip veil in place.

Eleanor Perry was matron of honor, and her daughter Nancy was the flower girl.

Vern Berry was best man and Bob Carpenter seated the guests.

A reception was held at the Parish hall immediately after the wedding.

The bride is a sophomore at Long Beach State college and Mr. Berry is a junior there.

The couple will reside in Los Altos after a honeymoon to San Francisco.

Dior, who amazingly is on the conservative side, have pegged at 15 inches from the floor. Confidentially, American designers always modify any extreme new look . . . but do expect to go a bit shorter to insure that up to the minute look. Flattering to most legs, it's a lot more youthful too. The spice of variety shows up in most necklines. Some are more garspangly low than ever . . . but only for evening. The soft touch is everywhere evident in collars of controlled width and ladylike draping, on suits as well as dresses. And the girls with the not too tiny waists get a break in waists that are at normal, cleverly follow the body but are not tightly fitted. Easy and soft sums up the look, and it's a good one.

Quotable Notables

Asked Anthony Quinn, movie star, traveler, linguist, and all-around fascinating man what does he think makes a smartly dressed woman. Here's the forthright and quite delightful answer. "A smart look to me doesn't necessarily mean the clothes a woman wears . . . but the way she wears them. We've all seen a woman looking smart, chic and confident in an inexpensive dress, while another is uncomfortable in an outfit costing considerably more. How many women would have dared to wear the tweeds, flat shoes and wide brimmed hats of Garbo . . . yet they were right for her. Fashion is courage, too. Only Marlene Dietrich dared to wear slacks . . . and now they're a part of every woman's wardrobe. Unfortunately," added Mr. Quinn, with a twinkle in his rich voice, "too often there's too much slack or not enough slack in the slacks I've seen. To sum it up . . . fashion to me is confidence, courage . . . and a rear view mirror." Thank you, Mr. Anthony Quinn.

Maudie's Musings

Attended a colorful California Fashion Group luncheon in Los

Beau Jardin Club Hears Lecturer

A regular meeting of the Beau Jardin club was held at the home of Mrs. James Stadler, 22414 Warmside ave.

The speaker was Mrs. Hal Baldwin, well known traveler, lecturer, and member of the State Board of Garden clubs for nine years. Her topic, "Famous Gardens of North America," was aptly illustrated by lovely colored slides.

Gardens were shown of New Orleans, St. Louis, Nova Scotia, Williamsburg, Mt. Vernon, South Carolina Magnolia Gardens, Butcherd Gardens, and Lake Louise. Some of the most impressive slides were of the Belangraf gardens near Mobile, Alabama, which are especially noted for their azaleas and camellias.

Mrs. William Singery announced that she had sold 144 cans of candy, with the profit to be donated to the School for Exceptional Children.

Mrs. Kenneth Moe was thanked for her fine job as leader for the Junior Garden Club during the summer. The club voted to continue sponsoring the project.

An echeveria, which was donated by the speaker, Mrs. Hal Baldwin, was won by Mrs. Robert Hill and given to guest, Mrs. Allyn Partridge. The door prize was won by Mrs. Fred Worgul.

Present at the meeting were Mmes. John Beattie, John Carrievau, Donald Drorbaugh, Kenneth Harmon, Robert Hill, Myron Langwell, Kenneth Moe, John Regan, William Singery, James Stadler, Albert Yackie, and Fred Worgul. Guests present were Mmes. John Gray, Allyn Partridge, Kerberg, and Semles.

The next meeting of the club will be held at the Sea Aire park, Tuesday, September 10, where a special program featuring Cactus Pete will be presented.

Angeles . . . with a clever program centering around the four principles of apparel and home decorating. Howard Grieve, president of the American Institute of Decorators, as well as famous California designer Don Loper, stressed the need of using taste, flair, style, and imagination for decorating ourselves as well as our homes. Was struck by the fact that none spoke of the necessity for scads of money to get good looking effects. In fact, Mr. Loper, whose clothes are a joy to wear, gaily informed the audience that he is the only couturier designer whose clothes sell from \$29.95 retail to \$15,000 . . . and I'll even take \$20,000 if Madame cares to put it on the line," he added. True enough . . . the Loper label is (Continued on Page 28)



Preparing for 'Festive Fashions'!

Discussing plans for 'Festive Fashions,' the style show which will be given by the Catholic Daughters of America are (l to r) Mrs. Francis Gately, Mrs. Gerald Loew and Mrs. Leonard J. Young. 'Festive Fashions' will be held at the Parish hall, 1420 Cota ave., on Monday, September 23, at 8 p.m.—Press Photo.